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A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to coverage of three-dimensional mammography
- 2 and including applicability date provisions.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

H.F. 151

- 1 Section 1. Section 514C.4, subsection 2, Code 2015, is
- 2 amended to read as follows:
- 3 2. a. As used in this section, "minimum mammography
- 4 examination coverage" means benefits which are better than or
- 5 equal to the following minimum requirements:
- 6 a_r (1) One baseline mammogram for any woman who is
- 7 thirty-five through thirty-nine years of age, or more frequent
- 8 mammograms if recommended by the woman's physician.
- 9 b. (2) A mammogram every two years for any woman who is
- 10 forty through forty-nine years of age, or more frequently if
- 11 recommended by the woman's physician.
- 12 ϵ_{r} (3) A mammogram every year for any woman who is fifty
- 13 years of age or older, or more frequently if recommended by the
- 14 woman's physician.
- b. For purposes of this section, "minimum mammography
- 16 examination coverage shall include coverage of
- 17 three-dimensional mammography.
- 18 Sec. 2. APPLICABILITY. This Act applies to third-party
- 19 payment provider policies or contracts issued for delivery,
- 20 continued, or renewed in this state on or after January 1,
- 21 2016.
- 22 EXPLANATION
- The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
- 24 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.
- 25 This bill provides that mandated health care coverage
- 26 benefits for mammography must include coverage of
- 27 three-dimensional mammography. The bill is applicable to
- 28 third-party payment provider policies or contracts issued for
- 29 delivery, continued, or renewed in this state on or after
- 30 January 1, 2016.